

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Date: August 31, 2004

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Examiner: T. Nguyen

Serial No.: 09/681,874

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For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING
CATALYST STORAGE CAPACITY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Amendment

In response to the Office Action of June 10, 2004, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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Based on the foregoing comments, the above-identified application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and such allowance is courteously solicited. If any further amendment is necessary to advance prosecution and place this case in allowable condition, the Examiner is courteously requested to contact the undersigned by fax or telephone at the number listed below.

Please charge any cost incurred in the filing of this Amendment, along with any other costs, to Deposit Account No. 06-1510. If there are insufficient funds in this account, please charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1505. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions or comments regarding this Amendment.

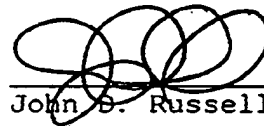
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